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**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

The Examiner has determined that the application contains two inventions: claims 1-42, directed to an apparatus for collecting mixtures of solid and liquid waste materials; and claims 43-48, directed to a method of controlling concrete washout.

In response, the applicant elects the invention of claims 1-42. This restriction is without traverse and the applicant cancels claims 43-48 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter disclosed therein.

In addition, applicant has amended claim 40 to correct a minor typographical error. Entry is respectfully requested.

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Respectfully submitted,



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